

**THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

**May 12, 2019**

**THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II – 10:30 A.M.**

*The Service begins on page 355 of The Book of Common Prayer.*

Prelude: Prelude in B minor, BWV 544a

J. S. Bach (1685–1750)

**THE WORD OF GOD**

Introit *Jubilate Deo*

Anglican Chant: Wm. Savage

O be joyful in God, all ye lands, alleluia: sing ye praises to the honor of his name, alleluia; make his praise to be exceeding glorious, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. Say unto God, O how wonderful art thou in thy works, O Lord: through the greatness of thy power.

– *Psalm 66*

Hymn 523: “Glorious things of thee are spoken”

Abbot’s Leigh, *stand*

Opening Sentences

*Priest:* Alleluia. Christ is risen.

*People:* **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

The Collect for Purity

*Priest:* Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Gloria in excelsis (*Hymnal S 278*)

William Mathias (1934–1992)

*All:* **Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God’s people on earth.  
Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.  
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

## The Collect of the Day

*Priest:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* **And also with you.**

*Priest:* Let us pray.

O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of your people; Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calls us each by name, and follow where he leads; who, with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever.

*People:* **Amen.**

## The Lessons

*Lector:* A Reading from The Revelation to John. (7: 9-17)

*sit*

After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen." Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. For this reason they are before the throne of God, and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them. They will hunger no more, and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat; for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

The Word of the Lord.

*People:* **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 23

Anglican Chant: J. Smith

- 1 The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.
- 2 He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:  
he leadeth me beside the still waters.
- 3 He restoreth my soul:  
He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness  
for his Name's sake.
- 4 Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,  
I will fear no evil; for thou art with me;  
thy rod and thy staff, they comfort me.
- 5 Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies;  
thou anointest my head with oil, my cup runneth over.
- 6 Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life;  
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

Hymn 645: "The King of love my shepherd is"

St. Columba, *stand*

*Priest:* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.  
(10: 22-30)

*People:* **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

At that time the festival of the Dedication took place in Jerusalem. It was winter, and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the portico of Solomon. So the Jews gathered around him and said to Jesus, "How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly." Jesus answered, "I have told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father's name testify to me; but you do not believe, because you do not belong to my sheep. My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. What my Father has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Father's hand. The Father and I are one."

*Priest:* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People:* **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

The Sermon: The Reverend Kelly Carlson

*sit*

The Nicene Creed

p. 358, *stand*

## Prayers of the People

*Lector:* Gathered together in the name and power of our risen Lord, through whom the glory of God is revealed, let us offer our prayers to almighty God, saying: Lord, hear our prayer.

*kneel*

For the peace of the world, that all humanity may live in freedom with justice and dignity, let us pray to the Lord:

*People:* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Lector:* For the unity of the church in Christ Jesus, that we may be one in Christ as Christ is one with God; and for Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Wayne, our Bishop; Luke, Kelly and Joseph, our clergy; and the members of our parish staff, that they may follow Christ as they seek to serve his church, let us pray to the Lord:

*People:* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Lector:* For the apostolic mission of the church, that we may bring all humanity to the knowledge and love of God in Christ, let us pray to the Lord:

*People:* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Lector:* For the diaconal ministry of the church, that we may serve one another in Christ's name, remembering especially the ministries of Beyond Housing, Bravely, Episcopal City Mission, The Haven of Grace and Outreach Haiti, and the people in need whom they each seek to serve, let us pray to the Lord:

*People:* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Lector:* For all the blessings of this life, especially for the marriage of Kathleen Rogers and Toby Martin, let us pray to the Lord:

*People:* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Lector:* For all who need the love and power of Christ, especially Elizabeth Clarke, Bryan Miller, Jake Stromsborg and Sally Von Lehmann, let us pray to the Lord:

*People:* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Lector:* For all the saints in glory and all those whom we have known and loved who though dead are alive in Christ, especially Mary Jones and Dan Singer, and for Anita Beal and Tom Hoeber, and Betty Jane Williams and Margaret Louise George, let us pray to the Lord:

*People:* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Priest:* Grant, eternal God, that we who are made one with Jesus Christ in the power of his death and resurrection may show forth in our lives the love which proclaims us his disciples, that the world may believe in you and be saved, through Christ our Lord.

*All:* **Amen.**

Exchanging the Peace

p. 360, *stand*

*The children join the Service from their Sunday School classes.*

Announcements

*sit*

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

*All baptized persons are invited to receive Communion.*

*If you would like to receive gluten-free bread, let the priest know at the altar rail.*

*Healing prayer is offered in Grace Chapel this morning.*

At the Offertory, Motet

Charles-Marie Widor (1844–1937)

Surrexit a mortuis,  
Christus Dei Filius,  
Pastor bonus,  
Pastor qui animam  
Pro grege suo posuit.  
Pascha nostrum  
immolatus est Christus.  
Surrexit a mortuis.  
Alleluia.

*He rose from the dead,  
Christ, the Son of God,  
the good shepherd,  
the shepherd who for his flock  
laid down his life.  
Christ our Passover  
has been sacrificed for us.  
He rose from the dead.  
Alleluia.*

The Presentation

Lasst uns erfreuen, *stand*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; alle-  
lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. Praise him a - bove, ye heaven - ly host: praise  
Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le -  
lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. A - men.

Sanctus and Benedictus

Mass in E, Jeffrey Smith (b. 1960)

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord.  
 God of pow'r and might, heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-  
 san - na in the high-est. Bless - ed is he who  
 comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na, ho-  
 san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

The Lord's Prayer

*kneel*  
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Breaking of the Bread (*Hymnal S 152*)

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Administration of the Sacrament

*sit*

Motet

Maurice Duruflé (1902–1986)

Ubi caritas et amor, Deus ibi est. Congregavit nos in unum Christi amor. Exsultemus et in ipso jucundemur. Timeamus et amemus Deum vivum. Et ex corde diligamus nos sincero. Amen.

*Where charity and love are, there is God. The love of Christ has brought us together into one flock. Let us rejoice and let us be glad in that love itself. Let us fear and love the living God. And let us love from a pure heart. Amen.*

*– Antiphon for the Washing of the Feet, Maundy Thursday*

Hymn 320: “Zion, praise thy Savior, singing”

Lauda Sion Salvatorem

A Prayer of Thanksgiving

p. 365, *kneel*

The Blessing

Hymn 366: “Holy God, we praise thy Name”

Grosser Gott, *stand*

The Dismissal

*Priest:* Alleluia. Alleluia. Let us go forth into the world,  
rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

*People:* **Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

Voluntary: Fugue in B minor, BWV 544b

J. S. Bach (1685–1750)

*MUSIC NOTES:* In this Easter season, the Choir is singing the proper Psalm to Anglican Chant. The psalm for today is the beloved Psalm 23 sung to a chant by *Jeffrey Smith* (b. 1960), the Director of Music at St. Paul’s, K Street, Washington, DC. • In the Collect of the Day, the Psalm, and the Gospel all have imagery of the “good shepherd.” The Easter Motet *Surrexit a mortuis, Op. 23, No. 3* takes up this same phrase, but in stentorian tones. *Charles-Marie Widor* (1844–1937) was the *titulaire* organist of Saint-Sulpice in Paris where he presided over the large Cavaille-Coll organ in the church’s West end for sixty-four years. At Saint-Sulpice the choir and the smaller choir organ were located in the East end. In a grand Motet like *Surrexit* the two organs and choir volleyed back and forth across the immense Baroque space. In the version heard today, the massive interjections of sound and the accompaniment for the choir come from a single organ. • *Maurice Duruflé* (1902–1986) was another long-tenured organist in Paris. He was the titular organist of St-Étienne-du-Mont from 1930 until his death.

*The altar flowers are given to the glory of God*

*In loving memory of Anita Beal and Tom Hoerber, by Connie Lohr and Carmen Hoerber.*

*In thanksgiving for their mom—Penny George, and in loving memory of their grandmothers—Betty Jane Williams and Margaret Louise George, by Margaret Carmichael, Laura Dunaway and Locke George.*

Lector/Eucharistic Ministers:	DeWayne Trainer, Nannette Rich
Ushers:	Jack Gillis, Hal Burroughs, Bud Wilson, Jeff Yount
Acolytes:	Tommy Sheehan, James Walters
Acolyte Master:	Bill Gilbert
Hospitality:	Becky Ragan, Nannette Rich, Ginger Dutton
Altar Guild:	Claudia McMillin, Merrill Buettner, Nancy Grimes, Jan Craig
Counters:	Ann Randazzo, Ruth Dewein

## ***PRAYER LIST***

**In Thanksgiving For:** The marriage of Kathleen Rogers and Toby Martin.

**For Parishioners:** Elizabeth Clarke and Bryan Miller.

**For Family and Friends:** Jake Stromsberg and Sally Von Lehmann.

**For the Faithful Departed:** Mary Jones and Dan Singer.

**For those Committed to Our Ongoing Prayers:** Norma Blankenship, Donna Brookman, Chris Canepa, Robert Craft, Ed Dewein, Carol Fisher, Patty Hecker, Betty James, Susan Kerkering, Rick Ledbetter, Doug McNair, Elizabeth Mendoza, Cheryl Meyer, Signe Myles, Jere Pastore, Scott Peterson, Jeffrey Rixleben, Sarah Roberts, Ray Sellenriek, Gerald Spencer, Jane St. John, Kathy Sheehan, Martine Smith, Buzz Wall, Dick Williams and Justin Williamson.



## ***TODAY...***

**FAMILIES** – Children are always welcome in church! If parents prefer, childcare is available in the Little Building from 9-11:45. If your child (or you!) needs a break, the service is live-streamed in the Undercroft. A baby-changing station is available in the middle Undercroft restroom.

**CHILDREN’S CHAPEL** – All ages, please join us in Grace Chapel, 10:15 to 10:25 a.m. each Sunday before Sunday School.

**PARISH BREAKFAST** – Come enjoy a hot breakfast in the Undercroft today, served from 8:45 until 10:00. The cost is \$5 per person or \$20 per family.

**RECTOR’S FORUM** meets each Sunday morning, 9:15-10:00 a.m. in the Undercroft. Today’s discussion is on sabbath and sabbatical. Everyone is welcome!

**HEALING PRAYERS** – If you would like to receive healing prayers with the laying on of hands and anointing, go to Grace Chapel as you leave the altar rail today after receiving Holy Communion.

**HAPPY MOTHER’S DAY!** – The Sunday School children have made a surprise to share! Moms are invited to take home an envelope containing seed paper to plant in your home garden. Water and enjoy the wildflowers!

## ***THIS WEEK...***

**NEWS DEADLINE** – Please submit news to the Church Office by noon on Tuesdays.

**ST. PETER’S CARES NEEDS YOU!** – As parishioners’ needs for transportation and meals increase, our ministry teams need to increase as well. Please consider joining the meal, transportation, or prayer ministry team of St. Peter’s Cares. Talk to the Rev. Kelly Carlson to learn more!

**MEN’S BREAKFAST** – Join us this Tuesday at 7:15 a.m. for good food and fellowship!

**WOMAN'S GUILD** – Tuesday is our annual Play Day, marking the end of our regular program year. We will meet off-campus. Contact Cheryl Meyer, [rmeyerrr@netzero.net](mailto:rmeyerrr@netzero.net).

**SEARCHING FOR GOD IN THE DAILY NEWS** meets on Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. in the Conference Room across from the office. Come explore the lively intersection where theology meets current events.

**BIBLE STUDY** – Join us at 7:00 on Thursday mornings in the Elliot Room.

**PRAYER GROUP** – Come on Friday mornings at 10:00 for contemporary Bible Study of the Sunday readings and to pray for the needs of the parish and the world.

### ***UPCOMING EVENTS...***

**CONFIRMATION** – May 19<sup>th</sup> is the annual Episcopal Visitation when the Right Reverend George Wayne Smith will visit St. Peter's and confirm our youth and adults at the 10:30 Service. Please join us for the Bishop's forum at 9:15 a.m. in the Undercroft.

**CHORAL CONCERT** - "FROM ONE GENERATION TO ANOTHER" – On Sunday, June 2 at 4:00 p.m. the St. Peter's Choir concludes St. Peter's sesquicentennial season with music for choir and organ written in the last 150 years. The Choir will sing the groundbreaking masterwork *In the Beginning* by American composer Aaron Copland (1900–1990) as well as works by Brahms, Bruckner, and Vaughan Williams. The concert is free and all are welcome.

**SPECIAL GIFTS** – Spring has sprung and what a perfect time to show your gratitude with a gift to St. Peter's Church! Honor your Mom, Dad, a graduate, confirmand, or a special teacher with a donation that supports the ministry and outreach of St. Peter's. If you would like to make a donation, please contact the Church Finance Office or donate online: <http://stpetersepiscopal.org/give>. Thank you!

***SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 12 - 19, 2019***

Sunday	5/12		<b>The Fourth Sunday of Easter</b>
			<b>Mother's Day</b>
		8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
		8:45-10:00	Parish Breakfast – Undercroft
		9:15 a.m.	Rector's Forum – Undercroft
		10:15 a.m.	Children's Chapel
		10:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
Tuesday	5/14	7:15 a.m.	Men's Breakfast
		12:00 Noon	Woman's Guild Play Day – off-campus
Wednesday	5/15	1:00 p.m.	Searching for God in the Daily News
		5:30 p.m.	Holy Eucharist
Thursday	5/16	7:00 a.m.	Bible Study
		6:00 p.m.	Choristers
		7:15 p.m.	Parish Choir
Friday	5/17	10:00 a.m.	Prayer Group
Saturday	5/18	9:00 a.m.	Confirmation Rehearsal
Sunday	5/19		<b>The Fifth Sunday of Easter</b>
			<b>Bishop's Visitation</b>
		8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
		8:45-10:00	Parish Breakfast – Undercroft
		9:15 a.m.	Bishop's Forum – Undercroft
		10:15 a.m.	Children's Chapel
		10:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist and Confirmation